

Christ Church and All Saints Newsletter

25 July 2021



WORSHIP

SERVICES IN CHURCH

Christ Church is open for Sunday worship at 10.00 am
(subject to Covid restrictions)

ONLINE SERVICES

[twitch.tv/revdgill](https://www.twitch.tv/revdgill)

Sunday at 10.00 am

LIVE from Christ Church, Healey

PASTORAL

If anyone needs help or support, please contact:
the Vicar on 01706 458506
or the Pastoral team on 07813 297313.

The diocesan link for coronavirus pastoral support is useful during
this time:

<https://www.manchester.anglican.org/documents/category/coronavirus-pastoral-support/>

WEBSITE INFORMATION

Our websites are regularly updated and contain lots of useful
information including service sheets, readings, quizzes and
news.

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/15941/>
and
www.christchurchhealey.org.uk

**Our Mission Statement – “To glorify God and serve our
community in the name of Jesus Christ.”**

PRAYERS

For the sick:

Michelle Travillion, Tina Turner, Sophie Broome, Anne McNicholas,
Ken and Margaret Gregory, David Cunliffe, Gary Watson,
Chris Tapper, Jean France, David, Anne, Brooke Ellis, Ruth, Joel,
Linda Percival, Brian, Gerard, Gill Marsh, Henry Hope, Lynne Parkin,
Jayne Carter.

In Memoriam:

Colin James Kershaw, Robert Parker Mawson, Frances A Simms,
John Alwyn Taylor, Sidney Kelsey, Frank Howard, Lewis Kershaw,
Elsie Wood, Doris Smith, Annie Lord.

Prayer for the week:

Creator God, for the miracle of life, the wonder of this world and
the immeasurable blessings that enrich each day, we give thanks
in grateful praise and joyful worship.

Amen.

Nick Fawcett

Falinge Park

Please keep Falinge Park in your prayers as the café reopens. One of
our local Councillors has asked for churches to pray about the amount
of disruption in the park – for it to be a place of safety and enjoyment.



NOTICES

On-line Services

Evening Prayer is suspended over summer. We are reviewing all our mid-week offerings in preparation for new patterns in September. Ruth will head a survey on what would be most useful and accessible. We hope to restart both Morning and Evening Prayer in new formats to suit YOU. **Please make sure your views are shared.**

Rochdale wide - 24/7 Prayer Initiative



The Plan

To cover Rochdale in a blanket of prayer from **6th to 13th August**. For much of the week, the plan is to ask individuals or small groups to sign up to take on an hour-long slot in the 24/7 virtual prayer room:

<https://www.24-7prayer.com/signup/1ceb93/>

And on **Saturday 7th August from 9am until 9pm**, different Rochdale churches will sign up to lead a thirty-minute prayer slot in a physical prayer room at The Salvation Army, Newgate, OL16 1AW, so all of the half-hour slots will happen in one venue. **HHB are signed up for 10am and 3pm.**

Karen's hope is to have a real range of prayer styles throughout the 12 hours, from formal liturgy, to open prayer in small groups, or sung prayer, or spontaneous prayer, or silent prayer, and that people might be willing to dip into different prayer slots during the day and support the wide array of churches that are building God's kingdom in Rochdale.

Summer Football Camp from 26 July

Please hold the football camp in your prayers – for good times to be had and good words to be shared. Thank you to those who have volunteered to help with lunches. **Sarah will keep you up to date. ALSO, photographer required** for shooting photos / videos – just once each week. **Is this your skill set?** Please speak to Rev Gill.



Rochdale Revival Prayer

Formerly Townwide Prayer, this will take place in Falinge Park on Thursday 29th July from 7.30 until 8.30 pm. See the posters in Church for more information.

Soft Plastics Recycling - Clean it! Scrunch it! Recycle it!

Great news! You can now recycle soft plastics like crisp packets and bread bags at a Co-op near you. It doesn't matter where you bought them. Just pop your soft plastics into their recycling units and they will do the rest. It means we can all do our bit for the environment.



There's a Co-op in Whitworth, but if you prefer, bring your cleaned bags to church and Pam will recycle them for you.

Coffee rota - help needed

Patricia is looking for volunteers for the coffee rota after Church. If you can help, please speak with her.

Thank you.

Rochdale Foodbank

The Foodbank would be very, very grateful for donations, especially tinned meat, tinned soup and tinned tomatoes at this time. They also have a shortage of tinned fruit and personal toiletries. Thank you all for your generous on-going support.

BIBLE READING

Psalm 145 verses 21 and 22

The Lord is righteous in all his ways and loving towards all he has made. The Lord is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth. He fulfils the desires of those who fear him; he hears their cry and saves them.